



# Iowa Climate Change Advisory Council

Cross Cutting Issues Subcommittee  
Meeting #7

May 2, 2008

Iowa Department of Natural Resources  
The Center for Climate Strategies

# Welcome and Introductions

- Iowa Subcommittee (SC) Members
- Iowa DNR
- Members of the Public
- Center for Climate Strategies

# Agenda

1. Introductions and Agenda Review
2. Meeting Purpose and Goals
3. Approval of Summary of Prior Call/Meeting [Decision Item]
4. Summary of Results ICCAC Meeting #4
5. Goals for ICCAC Meeting #5- June 12, 2008
6. Review Draft Straw Policy Option Proposals from the small work group volunteers
7. Review of Next Steps
8. Agenda, Date and Time for Next Meetings [Decision Item]
9. Public Comments
10. Announcements

# Approval of Last Call Summary

- See Draft Summary

# Summary of Results from ICCAC Meeting #4

- Straw Proposed Policy Option Documents approved from AFW, TLU and EEC SCs
- CRE and CC SCs Straw Proposals not yet approved
- IA Draft Inventory and Forecast Available for Review

# Goals for ICCAC Meeting #5

- Review and Approve Straw Proposals from Subcommittees [Policy Descriptions and Policy Designs + Implementation Mechanisms and Related Policies and Programs in Place Elements]
- Review Subcommittee Recommendations on draft Iowa Emissions Inventory and Forecast

# Stepwise Planning Process

1. Develop inventory and forecast of emissions
2. Identify a full range of possible actions
3. Identify initial priorities for analysis
4. Develop straw proposals
5. Quantify GHG reductions and costs/savings
6. Evaluate externalities, feasibility issues
7. Develop alternatives to address barriers
8. Aggregate results
9. Iterate to final agreements
10. Finalize and report recommendations

# Policy Option Template

- Policy Description (Concept)
- Policy Design (Goals, Timing, Coverage)
- Implementation Methods
- Related Programs and Policies (BAU)
- Estimated GHG Savings and Costs Per MMtCO<sub>2</sub>e
  - Data sources, methods, and assumptions
  - Key uncertainties
- Additional (non-GHG) Benefits and Costs, as Needed
- Feasibility Issues, if Needed
- Status of Group Approval
- Level of Group Support
- Barriers to Consensus, if Any

# Policy Design Proposals

- ICCAC identifies about 50 draft potential options for further development
- Subcommittees screen, prioritize, and propose initial policy option design (“straw proposals”)
  - Timing
  - Goals
  - Coverage
- CCS quantifies and presents for review
- ICCAC revisits list of potential priorities, as needed

# Cross Cutting Issues

## Subcommittee-Proposed

### Priorities

1. GHG Inventories, Forecasting, Reporting, and Registry
2. Statewide GHG Reduction Goals and Targets
3. State and Local Government GHG Emissions (Lead-by-Example)
4. Public Education and Outreach
5. Tax and Cap Policies
6. Seek Funding for Implementation of ICCAC Recommendations
7. Adaptation and Vulnerability
8. Participate in Regional and Multistate GHG Reduction Efforts
9. Encourage the Creation of a Business-Oriented Organization to Facilitate Investment in Climate-Related Business Opportunities and to Share Information and Strategies, Recognize Successes, and Support Aggressive GHG Reduction Goals

# Straw Proposals

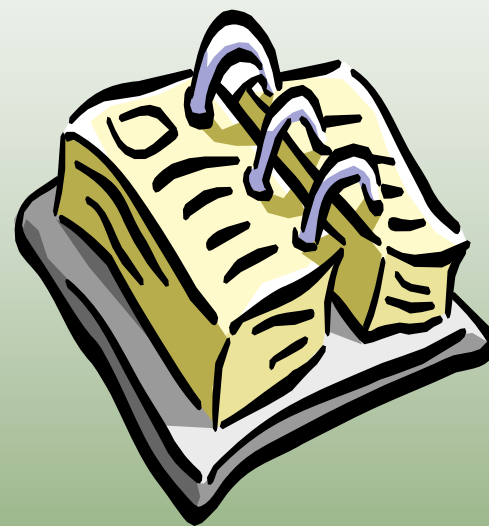
- Refer to Straw Policy Options Document

# Next Steps

- Subcommittees Develop proposed Implementation Mechanisms and Related Policies and Programs in Place for each Option
- ICCAC Review and Approval of draft Straw Policy Descriptions, Policy Designs, Implementation Mechanisms and Related Policies and Programs in Place for each Policy Option
- Subcommittees Comment on Iowa GHG Inventory-Forecast
- Quantification Process Begins in Other SCs
- CC SC Begins to Formulate Options for Developing IA GHG Reduction Goals and Targets

# Next Sub-Committee Meeting

- Agenda:
  - Continue Review of Implementation Mechanisms and Related Policies and Programs in Place from Small Groups
  - Begin review of Iowa GHG emissions inventory and forecast information, if applicable
  - Begin Discussion of Goal Setting Process
- Date- May 28, 2008



# ICCAC Meeting Schedule

Date	Action
October 18, 2007	1 <sup>st</sup> ICCAC meeting
December 17, 2007	2 <sup>nd</sup> ICCAC meeting
February 8, 2008	3 <sup>rd</sup> ICCAC meeting
April 11, 2008	4 <sup>th</sup> ICCAC meeting
June 12, 2008	5 <sup>th</sup> ICCAC meeting
September 3, 2008	6 <sup>th</sup> ICCAC meeting
November 10, 2008	7 <sup>th</sup> ICCAC meeting
December 15, 2008	ICCAC Final Report completed
Between ICCAC meetings	SC conference calls and meetings

# Public Input, Announcements